

FEBRUARY 10, 1817.

Read twice, and committed to the committee of the whole House, on the "Bill making provision for the establishment of an additional land-office in the Territory of Missouri, and for the final adjustment of claims to town and village lots therein."

A Bill

Confirming the title of Joseph Gillard.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives*
2 *of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That*
3 the title entered in the name of Joseph Gillard, acquired by
4 Collin Lacour, on the ninth of April, one thousand seven hun-
5 dred and ninety-five, by a purchase of the Indians, approved
6 by the governor general of Louisiana, the baron de Carondelet,
7 be, and the same is hereby confirmed, with the following
8 boundaries, to wit: To begin at the lower limit—the mouth of
9 the Bayou Philip, sometimes called Bayou La Bourne, and to
10 run from thence so far up the Red River as, with forty arpens
11 in depth on both sides thereof, will make the quantity of nine
12 thousand three hundred acres.